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	2,413,767	January 7, 1947	Hyde	198	468.6	
	2,454,548	November 23, 1948	Brinkert	74	89.28	
	2,495,541	January 24, 1950	Nolan, Jr.	222	166	
	3,239,218	March 8, 1966	Reeves	271	148	
	3,254,776	June 7, 1966	Brown	414	22.61	
	3,327,889	June 27, 1967	Dore	220	6	
	3,625,384	December 7, 1971	Boerger et al.	414	413	
	3,628,672	December 21, 1971	Heinz	211	153	
	3,751,587	August 7, 1973	Insler et al.	358	481	
	3,774,352	November 27, 1973	Weber	451	406	
	3,799,017	March 26, 1974	Halligan	83	167	
	3,837,510	September 24, 1974	McWilliams	414	802	
	3,887,997	June 10, 1975	Hartleroad et al.	228	180.21	
	3,903,934	September 9, 1975	Vizy	140	105	
	3,917,983	November 4, 1975	Kuronen	428	582	
	3,937,386	February 10, 1976	Hartleroad et al.	228	180.21	
3,969,813	July 20, 1976	Minetti et al.	29	829		
3,973,665	August 10, 1976	Giammanco	198	775		
4,024,545	May 17, 1977	Dowling et al.	347	259		
4,027,246	May 31, 1977	Caccoma et al.	700	121		
4,030,622	June 21, 1977	Brooks et al.	414	290		
4,058,217	November 15, 1977	Vaughn et al.	209	559		
4,095,095	June 13, 1978	Mursoka et al.	235	375		
4,097,715	June 27, 1978	Frizzi	219	121.6		
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	4,285,433	August 25, 1981	Garrett, Sr. et al.	209	573	
	4,323,755	April 6, 1982	Nierenberg	219	121.69	
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	4,370,542	January 25, 1983	Mills et al.	219	121.68	
	4,375,025	February 22, 1983	Carlson	219	121.68	
	4,382,580	May 10, 1983	Hellander	254	8914	
	4,403,134	September 6, 1983	Klingel	219	121.67	
	4,454,413	June 12, 1984	Morton, Jr.	235	375	
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	4,493,767	January 15, 1985	Monteyne	210	236	
	4,510,673	April 16, 1985	Shils et al.	438	15	
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	4,517,436	May 14, 1985	Lawrence	219	121.68	
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	4,534,695	August 13, 1985	Stump et al.	219	386	
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<i>JMK</i>	4,543,716	October 1, 1985	Damiano et al.	29	871	
<i>JMK</i>	4,552,271	November 12, 1985	Kranz	211	126.16	
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JK	4,660,282	April 28, 1987	Pfaff	29	829	
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JK	4,711,334	December 8, 1987	Barry et al. Harry et al.	193	6	
JK	4,718,531	January 12, 1988	Bianchi et al.	193	17	
JK	4,719,502	January 12, 1988	Ikeya et al.	257	793	
JK	4,720,317	January 19, 1988	Kuroda et al.	156	250	
JK	4,749,631	June 7, 1988	Haluska et al.	428	704	
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<i>JK</i>	4,821,151	April 11, 1989	Pryor et al.	361	771	
<i>JK</i>	4,832,612	May 23, 1989	Grabbe et al.	439	71	
<i>JK</i>	4,850,780	July 25, 1989	Safabakhsh et al.	414	416.1	
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<i>JK</i>	4,915,565	April 10, 1990	Bond Cartledge et al.	29	740	
<i>JK</i>	4,926,677	May 22, 1990	Waldner	72	430	
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<i>JK</i>	4,947,981	August 14, 1990	Dorner et al.	198	360	
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<i>JK</i>	4,967,260	October 30, 1990	Butt	257	668	
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<i>JK</i>	5,003,251	March 26, 1991	Fuoco	324	764	
<i>JK</i>	5,014,159	May 7, 1991	Butt	361	717	
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	5,127,837	July 7, 1992	Shah et al.			
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	5,148,969	September 22, 1992	Boucher et al.			
	5,150,797	September 29, 1992	Shibata			
	5,157,412	October 20, 1992	Kleinschmidt et al.			
	5,158,818	October 27, 1992	Aurichio			
	5,175,774	December 29, 1992	Truax et al.			
	5,177,368	January 5, 1993	Kay			
	5,197,650	March 30, 1993	Monzen et al.			
	5,203,143	April 20, 1993	Gutentag			
	5,204,987	April 20, 1993	Klingel			
	5,206,280	April 27, 1993	Williams			
	5,218,894	June 15, 1993	College et al.			
	5,219,765	June 15, 1993	Yoshida et al.			
	5,220,754	June 22, 1993	Tayebi et al.			
	5,226,361	July 13, 1993	Grant et al.			
	5,245,166	September 14, 1993	Shepard			
	5,245,900	September 21, 1993	Dojnik			
	5,256,578	October 26, 1993	Corley et al.			
	5,260,542	November 9, 1993	Ishiguro et al.			
	5,262,470	November 16, 1993	Shimotsuma et al.			
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	5,307,010	April 26, 1994	Chiu			
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	5,315,094	May 24, 1994	Lisy			
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	5,329,090	July 12, 1994	Woelki et al.			
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	5,335,458	August 9, 1994	Stoffers et al.			
	5,336,928	August 9, 1994	Neugebauer, deceased et al.			
	5,346,802	September 13, 1994	Ohbach et al.			
	5,357,077	October 18, 1994	Tsuruta			
	5,360,747	November 1, 1994	Larson et al.			
	5,365,653	November 22, 1994	Padrun			
	5,373,039	December 13, 1994	Sakai et al.			
	5,375,320	December 27, 1994	Kinsman et al.			
	5,379,514	January 10, 1995	Okuda et al.			
	5,399,828	March 21, 1995	Riddle et al.			
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	5,415,939	May 16, 1995	Yeung			
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	5,484,314	January 16, 1996	Farnworth			
	5,487,471	January 30, 1996	Marchek et al.			
	5,496,432	March 5, 1996	Sumi et al.			
	5,497,033	March 5, 1996	Fillion et al.			
	5,498,851	March 12, 1996	Hayashi et al.			
	5,534,094	July 9, 1996	Arjavalasingam et al.			
	5,545,367	August 13, 1996	Bae et al.			
	5,547,906	August 20, 1996	Badehi			
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	5,643,477	July 1, 1997	Gullo et al.			
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	5,937,270	August 10, 1999	Canella			
	5,942,136	August 24, 1999	Mori et al.			
	5,946,791	September 7, 1999	Baldwin			
	5,962,097	October 5, 1999	Yamamoto et al.			
	5,966,307	October 12, 1999	Lin			
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	5,985,377	November 16, 1999	Corbett			
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